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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 15, 2006, please amend the claims as indicated and consider the accompanying remarks.

A listing of claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Two review articles, a letter from Dr. Gregory Cuny, and a paper describing the invention in the context of an R&D 100 award, are attached to the response.

Please charge the fee for a one-month extension of time to our deposit account.

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